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For: Epitope Composition for Sublingual, Buccal or Enteric

Administration Prepared by Hydrolysis of Antigenic

Structures with Chymotrypsin

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Sir:

Transmitted electronically herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. Request for Corrected Patent Application Publication Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.221(b);
- 2. A copy of the Patent Application Publication of US 2006/0147459 with the requested corrections noted in red;
- 3. A copy of Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Submission Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 as filed on February 16, 2006; and
- 4. A copy of International Publication No. WO 2004/112833 which corresponds to International Appln. No. PCT/EP2004/006733.

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